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Listing of Claims

Claims 1-19 (canceled).

20. (previously presented) An X-ray diagnostic apparatus comprising:

an X-ray generating portion configured to irradiate an X-ray to a subject;

a solid state detecting portion formed by plural solid state detecting elements and configured to detect the X-ray irradiated from the X-ray generating portion and movably provided independently of the X-ray generating portion; and

a holding mechanism configured to hold the solid state detecting portion such that the solid state detecting portion is horizontally movable, pivotable on a vertical axis, pivotable on a horizontal axis which crosses the vertical axis and rotatable about an axis which crosses the horizontal axis and is parallel to a detecting plane of the solid state detecting portion.

wherein the X-ray generating portion comprises an X-ray generating portion for an overtable tube capable of imaging in a style of over-table tube.

21. (previously presented) An X-ray diagnostic apparatus comprising:

an X-ray generating portion configured to irradiate an X-ray to a subject;

a radiation receptor for electronic image storage and configured to detect the X-ray irradiated from the X-ray generating portion and movably provided independently of the X-ray generating portion; and

a holding mechanism configured to hold the radiation receptor for electronic image storage such that the radiation receptor for electronic image storage is horizontally movable, pivotable on a vertical axis, pivotable on a horizontal axis which crosses the vertical axis and

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rotatable about an axis which crosses the horizontal axis and is parallel to a detecting plane of the radiation receptor for electronic image storage.

wherein the X-ray generating portion comprises an X-ray generating portion for an overtable tube capable of imaging in a style of over-table tube.

22. (previously presented) An X-ray system comprising:

a patient table and an X-ray beam source movable in an x-direction, a y-direction, and a 2-direction, and rotatable about a horizontal axis relative to the patient table;

a radiation receptor for electronic image storage comprising a filmless system in which X-ray images are produced and stored electronically, said radiation receptor having a detecting plane and being configured to detect X-rays from said X-ray beam source and movably provided independently of the X-ray beam source; and

a holding mechanism configured to hold the radiation receptor such that the radiation receptor is horizontally movable, pivotable on a vertical axis, pivotable on a horizontal axis which crosses the vertical axis and rotatable about an axis which crosses the horizontal axis and is parallel to the detecting plane of the radiation receptor.

wherein the X-ray beam source comprises an X-ray beam source for selectively imaging a patient from above the table when the patient is lying down on the table and from below the table when the radiation receptor is below the table.

- 23. (previously presented) An X-ray diagnostic apparatus comprising:
- an X-ray generating portion configured to irradiate an X-ray to a subject:

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a solid state detecting portion formed by plural solid state detecting elements and configured to detect the X-ray irradiated from the X-ray generating portion and movably provided independently of the X-ray generating portion; and

a holding mechanism configured to hold the solid state detecting portion such that the solid state detecting portion is horizontally movable, pivotable on a vertical axis, pivotable on a horizontal axis which crosses the vertical axis and rotatable about an axis which crosses the horizontal axis and is parallel to a detecting plane of the solid state detecting portion,

wherein the X-ray generating portion comprises at least an X-ray generating portion for an over-table tube capable of imaging in a style of over-table tube.

24. (previously presented) An X-ray diagnostic apparatus comprising: an X-ray generating portion configured to irradiate an X-ray to a subject;

a radiation receptor for electronic image storage and configured to detect the X-ray irradiated from the X-ray generating portion and movably provided independently of the X-ray generating portion; and

a holding mechanism configured to hold the radiation receptor for electronic image storage such that the radiation receptor for electronic image storage is horizontally movable. pivotable on a vertical axis, pivotable on a horizontal axis which crosses the vertical axis and rotatable about an axis which crosses the horizontal axis and is parallel to a detecting plane of the radiation receptor for electronic image storage,

wherein the X-ray generating portion comprises at least an X-ray generating portion for an over-table tube capable of imaging in a style of over-table tube.

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25. (previously presented) The X-ray diagnostic apparatus of claim 20, further including a patient table, wherein the X-ray generating portion is movable to a position below the level of the patient table for imaging from said position.

26. (previously presented) An X-ray diagnostic apparatus of claim 21, further including a patient table, wherein the X-ray generating portion is movable to a position below the level of the patient table for imaging from said position.

27. (previously presented) An X-ray diagnostic apparatus of claim 23, further including a patient table, wherein the X-ray generating portion is movable to a position below the level of the patient table for imaging from said position.

28. (previously presented) An X-ray diagnostic apparatus of claim 24, further including a patient table, wherein the X-ray generating portion is movable to a position below the level of the patient table for imaging from said position.